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FOR: IMAGE READING APPARATUS,  
IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS,  
IMAGE READING METHOD, AND  
COMPUTER PRODUCT :

\*RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

In response to the final Office Action dated November 29, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.